

To the Mayor, Aldermen and Councillors of the
Borough of Aldeburgh.

This is my Annual Report for 1943 as directed by Circular
10/44 of February 14th, 1944 and consists mostly of statistics.

STATISTICS:

Population. in my estimation ... 1700
Registrar General
estimates it as ... 1635

Number of Inhabited Houses.

On Rate Book last year ...	874
Empties	... 72
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	802

Rateable Value.

Estimated £22,964.
Sum represented by penny rate £ 74.
General Rate, 12/- in the pound, of which
10/- is for the County Council.

<u>Live Births.</u>	M.	F.	Total.
Legitimate	16	11	27
Illegitimate	-	3	<hr/> 3
			<hr/> 30.

Rate per thousand Population ... 17.647
(Rate for England and Wales ... 16.5)

<u>Still Births.</u>	M.	F.	Total.
Legitimate	-	1	1
Illegitimate	-	-	<hr/> -
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Rate per total of 1,000 live and still births 32
(Rate for England and Wales 0.54.)

<u>Deaths.</u>	M.	F.	Total.
	9	9	18
Crude Death Rate	10.58.		
(Rate for England and Wales 12.1.)			

Infant Mortality. There have been three deaths under one year of age.

One (Illegitimate) from Whooping Cough.

One from Congenital Malfirmation.

One who dies aged 14 days of Septicaemia in Ipswich Hospital. This gives us a Rate of 100 per thousand births. The Rate for England and Wales is 49..

We have had seven deachs in 123 births during the last five years which gives us a Rate of 56 per thousand births.

Causes of Death.

Cancer 4; Senility 4; Heart 2; Pneumonia 1; Influenza 1; Apoplexy 1; Misadventure 1; Septicæmia 1; Tubercular Meningitis 1; (Not notified), Congenital Malfirmation 1; Whooping Cough 1;

No deaths from Measles.

Ages at which death occurred.

Under one	-	3	75 - 79	-	4
2 - 5	-	1	80 - 84	-	1
60 - 64	-	2	85 - 89	-	3
65 - 69	-	1	90 - 91	-	1
70 - 74	-	2			
					18

The average age for each death was M 61.7; F 57.7.

The Seniler group over 65 was M 82; F 76.8.

Table of Cancer Mortality

Region affected	M.	F.	Age
Breast	1	1	74
Bowel	1	1	60
Prostate	1	-	74
Rectum	1	-	78
	2	2	

Nursing.

The District Nurse made 996 visits, in addition to her maternity and work at the Infant Welfare Centre. This number compares with 2,246 last year.

SASSE PRE-APPOINTMENT CERTIFICATE
and work at the Institute Welfare Centre. This number compares with
The District of Nurses made up are as follows: in addition to her welfare
No certificate from Messrs.

U.S. Bureau of the Census
Population by Sex and Age
for the United States, 1940

The Postscript gives an estimate of the total amount of gold mined in 1883 from the last five years preceding 1883, and gives an estimate of the total amount of gold mined in 1883 from the last ten years. The Postscript also gives an estimate of the total amount of gold mined in 1883 from the last four years.

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OF WHICH THERE IS NO REASON.

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Maternity Work.

The Cottage Hospital being an E.M.S. was still closed for confinements and so mothers had no choice between their own homes and a local Hospital.

The District Nurse attended thirty confinements, fifteen times with a Doctor and fifteen times as a Midwife, when a Doctor had to be called in on five occasions.

Infant Welfare Work. was again carried out at the W.V.S.,

Sessions held ---	52
Total attendances	1,407
Infants under 1 yr.	112
1 - 5 years	1,120
First attendance under 1 year ...	29
" " 1 - 5 years ...	6

Water.

Considering the very low Rainfall the quality and quantity of the water was remarkably good.

Three samples were sent up for examination and the reports were consistently good.

Rainfall.

The readings of G.E. Sunderland-Taylor and Mrs. Gimson are 18.18 and 18.86 inches respectively which is 5 inches less than last year and nearly 12 inches less than 1939.
Monthly Returns appear on last Page of my Report.

Temperature.

The mean annual Temperature was 50.49 degrees F. two degrees above the two previous years.

The first quarter of the year was nearly 7 degrees higher than last year, the second quarter was 3 degrees higher, the third quarter, which is always the warmest quarter was about the same. The last quarter was 2 degrees lower.

Schools.

The attendance has not been as good as usual due mostly to Measles and Whooping Cough.

Av. No. on Books	Av. attendance.	Percentage.
1943 154.5	151.8	82.3
1942 165	141.4	85.8.

Housing.

No new houses were built during the year.

Diphtheria Immunisation.

The following figures show the official returns for 1943.

Innocalated	June 30	Dec. 31.	Total since start
1-5 years	11	13	160
5-15 years	4	4	126
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Population			286
1-5 years	105	104	
5-15 years	202	204	
Percentage			
1-5 years	94.28	95.19	
5-15 years	97	97	

These figures do not include babies under one year of age.

Infectious Diseases.

We had many Notifications during the year and they are shown in the following Tables.

<u>Measles.</u>	<u>Age.</u>	M.	F.	Total.	<u>Whooping Cough.</u>	M.	F.	Total.
	Under 1	-	-	-		-	2	2
	1	2	3	5		2	-	2
	2	4	2	6		1	-	1
	3	5	6	11		-	2	2
	4	8	7	15		1	1	2
	5	7	14	21		1	2	3
	10	19	17	36		-	1	1
	15	5	2	7				
	20	-	2	2				
	30	-	1	1				
	Totals ...	50	54	104.		5	8	13

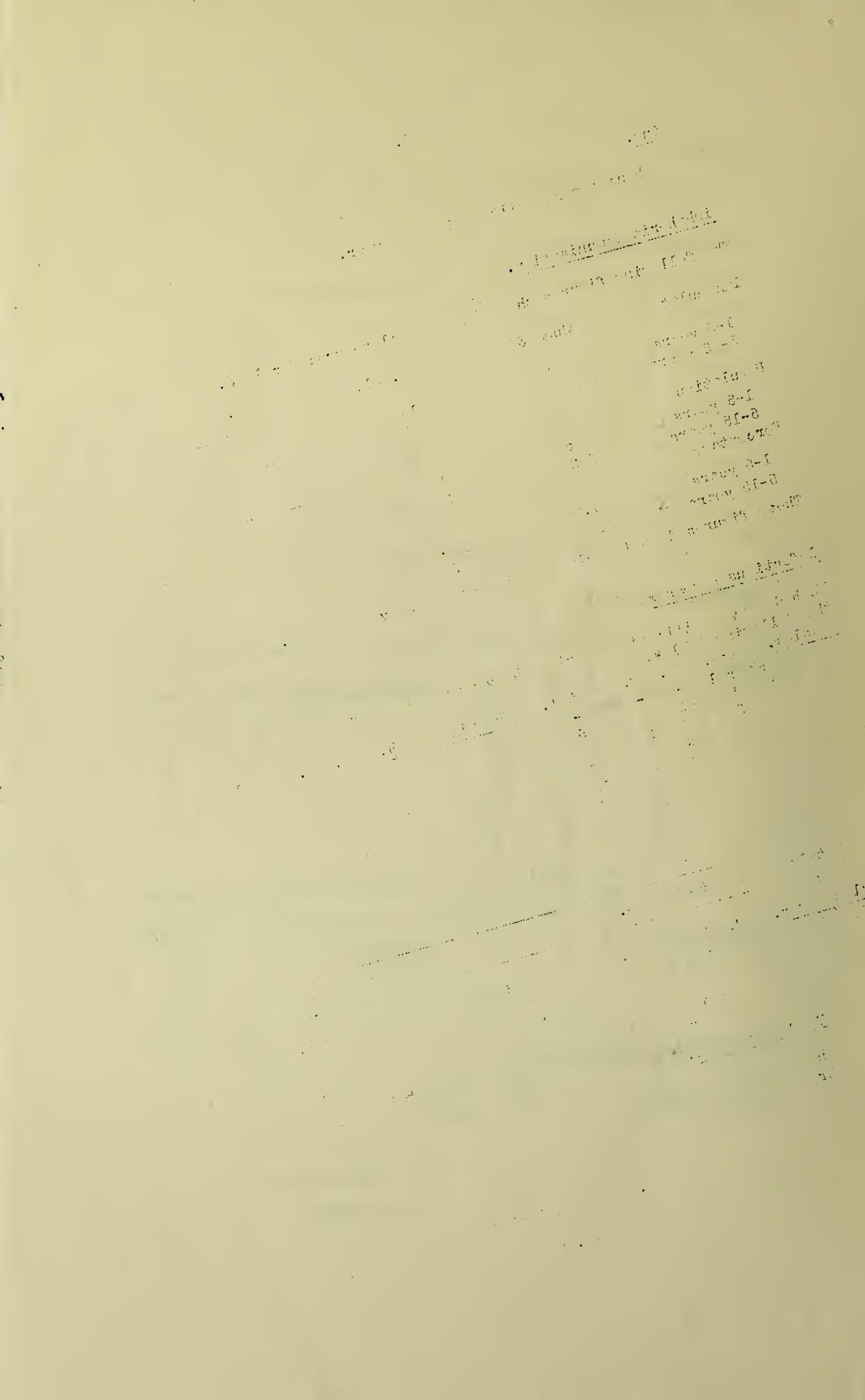
<u>Scarlet Fever.</u>	M.	F.	Total.	<u>Pneumonia.</u>	M.	F.	Total.
Age 5	1	1	2	Age 73	1	-	1
12	-	1	1				
	Total	3			Total	1	

Non Pulmonary Tuberculosis.

	Sex.	Age.
Cervical Glands	M.	33
Dorsal Vertebre	M.	11/12.

I am, Your obedient Servant,

C.D. SOMERS.



Rainfall in inches by
Mr. G.E. Sunderland-Taylor,

Temperature in degrees F. by
Mrs. Gimson.

January	3.33.	39.5
February	.52	41.6
March	.39	42.1.
April	.83	52.3
May	.91	55.3
June	1.73	58.8
July	1.35	62.5
August	.88	63.2
September	2.75	57.85
October	1.56	53.75
November	2.38	43.05
December	<u>1.55</u>	<u>35.98</u>
	<u>18.18</u>	Mean Annual Temperature 50.49.
1942.	23.27	48.55
1941.	23.48	48.55
1940.	22.73	
1939.	30.08.	

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